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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of:

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For: WORKFLOW DRIVEN RULES-
BASED GENERATION OF
PERSONALIZED WEB PAGES

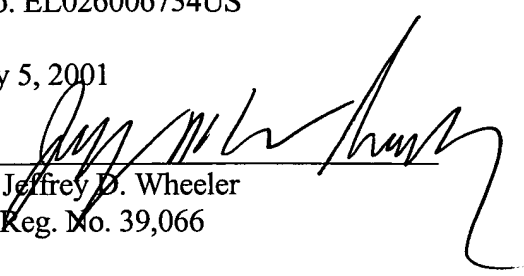
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Before examination of the application, please enter the following amendments and
remarks:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1-6 and replace with the following new claims:

7. An apparatus for rendering personalized information on web pages generated
through the use of a layer that utilizes dynamic and static wireframes for presenting the
personalized information, the apparatus comprising:

a plurality of personalized content items which represent specialized views of web-based
applications;

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